

BLAND BISMARCK.

Germany Earnestly Carrying Out Her Colonial Policy.

Doubling the German Marine Infantry—John Bull Apprehensive—Morocco Wants Congo Territory—Araña Flying Before the English Advance—Two Earthquakes at Madrid.

BERLIN, December 25.—The number of marine infantry is about to be doubled owing to the inauguration of the active colonial policy.

ENGLAND.

CHURCHMAN AT BISMARCK.
LONDON, December 25.—The Daily News this morning devotes a special article to the decision of England relative to Egyptian finances. This attitude of the power, the News asserts, is prompted by Bismarck, who is irritated at Gladstone's policy, and desires to overthrow his cabinet. Prince Bismarck, the article continues, wanted England to annex Egypt and thus enable Germany to pursue her colonial policy unhindered. France and Austria will support Bismarck.

A BRITISH STEAMER WRECKED.
LONDON, December 25.—The British steamer Halsey, Captain Hunter, from Japan and Chinese ports for New York, was wrecked off Asaia Point. The passengers and part of the cargo were saved.

SPAIN.

A DOUBLE EARTHQUAKE.
MADRID, December 25.—Two slight shocks of an earthquake were experienced in this locality yesterday.

The shocks were felt at Gibraltar, and severely in the Southern provinces. It caused great alarm among the people at Granada. At Malaga two persons were killed by falling walls.

ANNAM.

UNFRIENDLY TO THE FRENCH.
PARIS, December 25.—Catholic missionaries in Tonkin complain that the Court of Hue, the capital of Annam, has not fulfilled its duty to make reparation for the massacre of Christians some months ago. A correspondent of the Temps, at Hanoi, says the Court is strongly hostile to the French and advocates a clean sweep of the officials at Hue.

THE CONGO.

NO AFRICAN CORRUPTION.
VIENNA, December 25.—No one consults on the Congo or Niger. The German consuls, meanwhile, have been authorized to act for Austria.

MOROCCO WANTS TERRITORY.
LONDON, December 25.—The Sultan of Morocco has asked the British Government for copies of the protocols adopted by the African Conference. The Sultan claims sovereignty over Timbuctoo and is desirous of annexing to his dominions the coast country south of Morocco.

SOUTH AFRICA.

VALUABLE COPPER DEPOSITS.
BERLIN, December 25.—The Lusitania expedition to Argus, Persia, announced that enormous finds of copper have been made in that district, and that the land is extremely valuable. It asserts the annexation of Walish Bay and adjacent territory by England is not injurious to German trade.

EGYPT.

FLYING BEFORE THE ENGLISH ADVANCE.
CAIRO, December 25.—Numerous Arab families are passing through Korti to the northward, seeking to escape before the English advance.

RUSSIA.

TRANSFERRED THE NAVAL TERRITORIES.
ST. PETERSBURG, December 25.—Russia is about to transfer her naval quarters in the Black Sea from Nikolai to Sebastopol. The estimated cost of the transfer is \$7,000,000.

NEWFOUNDLAND.

PASSENGER ON QUARTER.
ST. JOHN'S, December 25.—A dispatch from Harbor Grace states that the Orange demonstration passed off quietly. The procession, composed of 1,000 persons, passed through the principal streets of the city without incident. The riotous men, with a green flag, held their own citadel. The Orangemen abstained from intrusion on Catholic ground.

AN EXPLOSION AND FIRE.

One Hundred Thousand Dollars' Worth of Oil in Flames.
ELMIRA, N. Y., December 25.—One of the thirty-three barrels of oil tank situated at West Junction, five miles from Elmira, exploded at 7:40 this morning. Both tanks were soon in seething flames. The shock was felt in Elmira. In many cases knocking down chimneys and breaking windows. No one was hurt seriously, although houses near the tanks were badly damaged. The oil is still raging. The loss will not fall short of \$100,000.

A BUSINESS HOUSE BURNED.

TOLDO, OHIO, December 25.—At Deshler, Ohio, last night, a fire originating in the dry goods store of John Vogie, destroyed nine buildings in the business part of the town. The principal losers are John Vogie, dry goods; J. C. Valtin, grocer; N. C. Coates, saloon; Mess & Lafferty, druggists. The losses aggregate \$20,000, and the insurance \$2,000. The fire was caused by a lamp explosion.

FISHED IN THE FLAMES.

BAT CITY, Miss., December 25.—There was a fire in the Catlin hotel at 10 o'clock this morning. The loss on the building, laundry, furniture and saloon was \$5,300, mostly covered by insurance. El. Tierney was suffocated while asleep in the building. The body was found after the fire.

A FERTILIZER BURNED.

WILMINGTON, N. C., December 25.—The Fertilizer Acme Manufacturing Company, on the Carolina Central Railroad, was burned yesterday. The loss is estimated at \$20,000. No insurance. The company will rebuild at once.

HIGBEE'S SUCCESSOR.

Governor Hamilton of Illinois Does Not Care for the Critics.
By Telegraph. The Post-Dispatch. ST. LOUIS, December 25.—Governor Hamilton replied to an inquiry to-day in relation to the appointment of a Judge in the Sixth Judicial Circuit that the report that he did offer the position to Scott Wick, a well-known Pittsfield attorney and a Democratic politician, to succeed Judge Higgins, was untrue, and that Mr. Wick declined the appointment. Governor Hamilton showed the letter refusing the position to your correspondent and said in reply to the alleged criticism of his course in appointing a Republican to serve in such an important Democratic district, that the newspapers are authorized to say that it is none of the critics' business who was appointed, and that he does not care whether they approve of it or not. Mr. Wick, who was Judge Higgins' law partner, thanked the Governor very warmly for the kindly offer of so desirable an appointment, but gave no reason for his refusal. He said, that his business is of such a nature as to prevent, for the time, his acceptance of the offer.

THE COAL ALLOTMENTS.

Causes Controversy.
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WHERE ARE THEY?

A St. Louis Boy and Girl Mysteriously Disappear in Chicago.

Salome Pitzer and Miss Frankie O'Bannon Create Quite a Stir in the City by the Lake—Talks With the Parents of the Young People.

The following dispatch was received to-day from Chicago with reference to parties well known in this city:

Chicago, December 25.—Several days the police have been looking for Mr. Salome Pitzer, a son of Mr. George C. Pitzer of No. 310 N. Eleventh. He is nominally wanted on a charge of going overboard from a steamerboat, but it is believed that he is in reality for running away with Miss Frankie O'Bannon of St. Louis. The couple disappeared from their respective homes in St. Louis on the morning of December 15th, and were seen in the city on the following day and were joined here a few days later by Miss O'Bannon. The couple were traced to a house of questionable reputation on Fourth avenue by Detective B. J. Smith, who arrested them. The girl, who is about 17 years of age, is a native of St. Louis, and the boy is a native of Chicago. The girl did not appear to be of age. For reasons of her own she refused to remain in the house. They were next traced to Mrs. Travis' house on West Lake street, but had disappeared from that place when the officers arrived there. Two letters and a trunk are awaiting him there as well as a letter to the girl. The girl is now in the hands of the police, and the boy is being sought. The girl is now in the hands of the police, and the boy is being sought. The girl is now in the hands of the police, and the boy is being sought.

INJURED FEELINGS.
The Northern Pacific Officials Deny That the Road is Blocked.

ST. PAUL, Minn., December 25.—The officials of the Northern Pacific Railroad deny the published report that the road is blocked and that all the mails have been ordered to Portland via San Francisco. The officials state that the road is open and that the mails are being carried as usual. The report is a fabrication.

WELL-KNOWN.
Hannibal Barnes, the Missouri Pacific Railroad, who died in the train yesterday evening, near Hermann, of heart disease, was a son of Hermann Barnes, the colored restaurateur on Madison street, and who in 1860, was a nominee on the Republican State ticket for Railroad Commissioner. The remains of his son are expected on the afternoon train.

THE TERRIBLE FATE OF JAMES MURRAY, A Negro, 100 Years Old.

Mexico, Dec. 25.—James Murray, an old colored man, was found in the street, frost-bitten, and died last night. He had been drinking, and when going home fell from the walk and from to death before he was discovered. Deceased was a real old man, and was known to be over one hundred years of age.

MARRIED BY AN ACCIDENT.
Christmas Festivities in Mr. Munson's Fam. by Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

ST. LOUIS, December 25.—The Christmas festivities in the family of N. D. Munson, secretary of the Railroad and Warehouse Commissioners, were very quiet. The family was gathered at the home of Mr. Munson, who is a native of St. Louis, and who is a member of the Missouri Pacific Railroad. The family was gathered at the home of Mr. Munson, who is a native of St. Louis, and who is a member of the Missouri Pacific Railroad.

THE BRIDAL BULLETIN.
The following marriage licenses issued to-day: Theodore B. Johnson, Vandalla, Ill., to Otto M. Stahl, Vandalla, Ill.; Samuel Davidson, Sangamon County, Ill., to Kate M. Stanley, Sangamon County, Ill.; John C. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill., to Emily A. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill.; William J. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill., to Mary J. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill.; George J. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill., to Sarah J. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill.; Charles J. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill., to Anna J. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill.; James J. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill., to Elizabeth J. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill.; John J. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill., to Mary J. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill.; William J. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill., to Sarah J. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill.; George J. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill., to Anna J. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill.; James J. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill., to Elizabeth J. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill.; John J. Smith, Sangamon County, Ill., to Mary J. 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TRAIN ROBBERY IN THE STREETS OF ST. LOUIS.

Amid the change of fashions we note with pleasure that the prevalent fashion in St. Louis is to give something to the poor.

Another State has been heard from. Connecticut will consider itself recognized if BARNEY is taken into the Cabinet. Mr. BARNEY'S application has been filed.

The next improvement in street cars will be a safe in which passengers will be required to deposit their valuables before starting, as a precaution against robbery. The company will not be responsible for the loss of valuables not deposited in the safe.

There is a law in St. Louis against carrying deadly weapons, but it applies only to the better classes. The criminal classes, highwaymen, street-car robbers, and the like, habitually carry weapons, and not one in a hundred of them is ever punished.

The so-called Marquis de LEVILLIUE made one of the mistakes of a lifetime when he brought suit against the New York World for \$25,000 damages. He will not get five cents' worth of damages, and in the meanwhile the WORLD is getting a great deal of fun out of the Marquis de LEVILLIUE.

THEATRE COMMISSIONER FOSTER rushes to the rescue of the Spanish treaty with the alluring statement that the Havana cigar, which is now sold two for a quarter, will hereafter be obtainable at the modest price of three for a quarter, and he requests the American workman to put that in his pipe and smoke it.

This is the feast of ST. STEPHEN, the first martyr of Christianity, and our pugnacious neighbors of Havre-de-Grace, Newfoundland, are disposed to celebrate it by adding a large list of names to the martyrology. The United States is the only country in which all races and creeds manage to live and flourish in peace and friendliness.

All day yesterday the detectives of the Police Department were busily engaged in scouring the registers of the leading hotels of the city in search of traces of the Cass avenue street-car robbers. At a late hour last night it was reported that the robbers were with the rest of the harness in the stables, but the robbers had not been found.

There are reasons for believing that the weather observers at Washington are too busy breaking into each other's desks to pay attention to the weather indications. On the doctrine of probabilities they ought to be able to guess in two guesses whether the thermometer will go up or down; but the doctrine is at variance with the facts.

The credit and good name of the whole police force of St. Louis are involved in the discovery of the hoodlum highwaymen of Cass avenue. If a street car can be stopped before midnight by a band of these marauders within the built-up portion of the city, without the robbers being discovered and punished, our police force is not what its members fondly imagine that it is.

If the detectives are at fault in locating the supposed Cass avenue hoodlums who raided the horse-car on Wednesday night it might be worth their while to inquire into the whereabouts of the directors of the company. There is a general complaint that the horse-car companies are not making enough money out of the passengers, and this may have been an attempt of the directors to increase the receipts.

One of the best things in the recently published volume of Concord Essays on Emerson is an anecdote of WASHINGTON, told by Rev. Dr. BARTOL, to this effect: "That on a certain occasion, when the Father of his Country was engaged in private devotion, he was interrupted by a knock at the door of the room. Paying no attention to it, the interruption was vigorously repeated; and then, without getting the better of piety, WASHINGTON rose from his knees, drew his sword and drove it through the panel narrowly missing the astonished intruder."

Whether prayer was resumed afterward, is not stated.

The failure of BROOKS & DICKSON, the managers of HUNTER, of Mrs. BOWEN and other dramatic adventures, is a sign of the times which should not astonish any one. From the opening of the dramatic season it has been plainly evident that this would be a poor year

for the theaters, and that any attraction which failed to draw would lose heavily if conducted on the old scale of prices. The trouble of a poor season is that it falls heaviest on the weak organizations. It would be well for managers to borrow an idea from army managers and provide for retiring their attractions after the age of 60 or after thirty years of service.

GERMAN COLONIES.

The formation of large companies in Germany for trade with Africa, and for the prosecution of various colonial enterprises, indicates that German unity is about to bring forth some fruit more substantial than military glory and political influence in merely European affairs. BISMARCK'S prominence in the Congo Conference, and his efforts to acquire territory in the large islands of the Pacific and Indian Oceans, imply the recognition of the fact that some thing must be done in that direction to prove the utility of the German Empire to the German States.

While they were disunited their commerce remained "cabin'd, cribb'd, confin'd," and little Holland, England, Spain and France divided the Western World among themselves with all the commercial advantages of thriving colonies and broad areas of productive land in every clime. For nearly fifteen years Germany unity has secured the internal peace and safety of Germany and made her influence preponderant in Europe, but has compelled her to pay dearly for the glory of it all. And still there is no German colony to receive the redundant increase of the overworked and overtaxed millions of the Fatherland. The most vigorous and best educated people in Europe are the worst paid toilers in the civilized world. No triumph of arms or diplomacy in a European Congress can better their condition at home or mitigate the necessity which compels multitudes of them to seek new homes and better chances for their posterity in America and other lands over which float foreign flags.

An emigration large enough to build up a new German Empire in two or three generations is bound to go on for the benefit of other nationalities.

This is not pleasing to the race pride and ambition of the Germans, and they are already asking what the Empire is there for if it cannot provide colonies in which a fruitful people can find room for natural expansion whereby it can contribute to the power and prosperity of Germany. The wonderful success of England and Holland as colonizers favors the idea that their German kindred would be equally successful if once fairly started in the business by their home government, and if the Empire cannot do that much for them they may soon begin to undervalue its greatness.

A COOL PROPOSITION.

President ADAMS' last report of the Union Pacific affairs shows that it earned \$619,617 in the year ending last June, from its investments outside of its original line; that between January 1 and November 30, of this year, it received \$8,304,657 from land sales; that in the four months ending October 30 it earned outside of these resources an amount equal to nearly 35 per cent of its enormously and illegally watered stock; and that in the same three months it had paid off \$1,800,000 of its floating debt.

It has incurred liabilities and issued stock in violation of law. After fighting the execution of the laws through the courts, it has disregarded their decisions and continued to violate the laws, and now, with an accumulated sinking fund of several millions to pay off its land grant mortgages, and with a business report showing its entire ability to raise the means to meet its obligations to the Government, it is asking Congress for a sixty-year extension of its loan and for a new set of statutes in its favor, to be litigated and violated by its managers. It is able to borrow the money to carry out its contract with the Government, but has found the latter such an indulgent and easily swayed creditor that it actually proposes to borrow another hundred millions on sixty-year time, and at a merely nominal interest, to pay off the amount which is to fall due some eight or ten years hence.

The only ground on which this favor is asked is that it is necessary to enable the managers to pay to themselves and to "innocent purchasers" forbidden dividends on illegally issued stocks. In other words Congress is asked to assist in the violation of its own enactments by authorizing another Government loan to the company for that express purpose.

If this favor is granted to the Union Pacific, the Central Pacific, which is in the same boat, will be entitled to similar indulgence, but there is a suspicion that it is prepared to beat Uncle Sam in any event. The managers have built up its earnings the Southern Pacific, on which there is no Government lien, and to that they are diverting all that is at once valuable and divertible appearing to the Central Pacific. California papers say that the initials of the Southern Pacific are being rapidly painted on nearly all the rolling stock that hitherto bore the initials of the Central Pacific.

NOT WHOLLY RUINED.

The Boston Herald of last Sunday published a statement of the municipal tax levy, from which it appears that Boston is not wholly ruined. The total value of taxable property in that solid city amounts to just \$683,648,000 this year, against \$683,300,000 last year. There has been a shrinkage of \$348,000 in the assessed value of personal property, but this is more than offset by a gain of \$9,811,800 on real estate.

It is worthy of note that the assessors estimate that they do not succeed in finding more than 30 per cent of the personal property. As the personal property, even after the last year's shrinkage, is assessed at \$104,517,300, this would make the total personal wealth of Boston less than \$600,000,000. With this \$488,130,000 of real estate, would run the total wealth of Boston up to \$1,100,000,000, or about double the total assessed value of the whole State of Missouri.

These figures, which are startling in their magnitude, fail to represent the accumulations of the thirty sons of the Puritans. Boston has not invested much money in St. Louis, but Boston owns many of the big manufacturing corporations of New England. It owns blocks of the finest property in Chicago and other cities, it owns cattle on Western ranches, mines of gold and silver and coal and iron, and its investments are generally among the best.

Yet Boston is truly considered as one of the heaviest sufferers by the recent shrinkage in values. Boston capitalists were large owners of Union Pacific at the highest prices. It was Boston capital which built the Mexican Central and which owns the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe road. The great manufacturing establishments, which are numbered by the hundreds and which represent a cash investment of from a quarter of a million to a million dollars each, are now practically worthless, and it is conceded that the rich men of Boston are poorer than they have been in many years. With all their losses, it seems that they have enough left to tide over a few months of hard times.

This statement of Boston's wealth is full of instruction and of consolation. It shows us that, with a shrinkage in a great many departments of business, the real wealth of the country is left practically untouched, and that all the sources of future prosperity are practically unimpaired. There is too much talk of hard times and too little thought of the real situation. We cannot expect to have an unchecked course of prosperity. That does not happen to any country. Excessive speculation and overdoing of business must be followed by a reaction, and in prosperous times we must learn the lesson of being prepared to meet with losses. But the country is rich, its resources are exhaustless, its energy undiminished; and the situation in Boston is merely an extreme illustration of the solidity of that real wealth which, after all, the permanent condition of such a country as ours.

Coolies and Commercial Treaties.

The so-called reciprocal treaty with the Hawaiian Islands, a measure which the Senate is now asked to ratify, has had on the islands a marked effect upon labor and immigration. While an attack has been made by national legislation to exclude the Chinese from California and the Pacific coast, a commercial agreement with the Hawaiian Islands, which would open the islands to commerce in the Pacific States and territories, has drawn thousands of Chinese to the Hawaiian kingdom, so that the California is served by the Chinese at a safe distance. There were, a year and a half ago, 10,000 Chinese on the islands, many of them being coolie laborers imported by the successful speculators who have so greatly increased the quantity of sugar produced there, and made great fortunes out of the treaty. At that time these immigrants were depriving natives of means of support, and a system of complete free trade, which would draw thousands of Chinese coolies into that country, it is said that contracts for the importation of these coolies were made some time ago, and that prominent politicians of this country are interested in the estates where they are to be employed. The effect of the treaty is very much higher than that in the four months ending October 30 it earned outside of these resources an amount equal to nearly 35 per cent of its enormously and illegally watered stock; and that in the same three months it had paid off \$1,800,000 of its floating debt.

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A POOR RULE.

When Mrs. J. C. Ayer and her daughter returned from Europe a few days since, they brought with them \$50,000 worth of diamonds. The public articles of what Mrs. Partridge called "theory and virtue." Under the rule in the Astor case the Collector admitted the whole free as "wearing apparel" for the passengers, in a condition to be worn at least without change, and suitable for the season of the year immediately approaching, and not exceeding in quality or value what the passengers were in the habit of wearing or keeping on hand for immediate wants.

On the same steamer was a lady whose wardrobe amounted to only \$1,000 in value, and was like that of the Ayer ladies, in a condition to be worn at least without change, and suitable for the season of the year immediately approaching, and not exceeding in quality or value what the passengers were in the habit of wearing or keeping on hand for immediate wants.

The Collector decided, however, arbitrarily, that the diamonds were not for wearing, but for sale, and that the lady was not a passenger, but a trader, and she was accorded to pay the duties.

Can it be Bernhardt?

From the Paris Gazette.

A peculiar lawsuit is about to be tried. We will content ourselves for to-day with briefly alluding to the fact, taking great care to place a mark on the features of those who will play a role in it. The affair is a very recent one. The facts are these: One

the one side one of the greatest artists whose fame is well known. On the other, two men, friends. One of the two is on terms of good fellowship with the distinguished artist; the other does not know her, but, ambitious and eager, he sets his friend to work to introduce him to the artist. In exchange for this service he promises to pay the handsome sum of 30,000 francs. The bargain settled and the introduction made, the "star" seeker becomes one of the artist's most assiduous visitors, but forgets all about the 30,000 francs. His friend demands the money, threatens, and, in fine, begins suit for the amount. That is the present situation of affairs. The trial promises to be a very piquant one.

The London World.

The new war-game "Polemo," first published in London on Saturday afternoon, favorably impressed the onlookers, although some of the conditions of the afternoon were against it. It seems to require a familiarity with military operations and terms not possessed by the general, but this is claimed, not without some show of reason, as an advantage for the game from an educational point of view. The mimic battle-field can be spread on a billiard or dining table, and the soldiers, which are to be used by the players, are made of wood and are of various sizes, from a single soldier to a whole regiment. The game is played by a code of rules based upon the strategy and movements of an army in a general engagement. It would be easy, I imagine, to get into considerable excitement over the contest, which may be waged by two or four persons.

A Good Example for Illinois.

Gov. Everett Rogers, who has made a careful study of Canada, announces his opposition to the bill just introduced into Congress by Representative Hilscock by which the National Government shall take charge of the Erie Canal and keep it in repair as a link in the waterway between the East and the West.

While this opposition was to have been expected from a man of Mr. Rogers' temperament and knowledge of the subject, its expression is most timely. There was an evident hope among the promoters of the ridiculous Hennepin Canal scheme that they might secure the support of the Eastern States in return for votes favoring the acceptance of the Erie Canal. The quick comprehension of the aims of these patriots will tend to discount them and prevent the success of their scheme.

Her Style of Man.

Hattie C. Cummings of Dixie, W. T., has addressed the following to the Washington Times: "I met a man of the following description: Red hair, blue eyes; one that has pride enough to dress good, but not above his means. He must be tall, or short, thick or heavy-set man; small feet; one that doesn't wear fine shirts much. He must be good-looking, of light complexion, and one who is not afraid to let his hair grow. I don't want one that will go to sleep while I wait. I want one that likes to eat potatoes, and in the garden and want to play baseball. If there is any one of this description please answer through the Washington Times. No dainty store clerks need apply."

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